

## Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 29, 1901.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

on issue tomorrow at 5 45 a. m. and sale at 6:25 p. m. High water at 4:15 a. m. and 4:37 p. m.

**WEATHER PROBABILITIES.**—For this section fair tonight; increasing cloudiness Saturday, with rain probably in the afternoon, fresh to brisk northerly winds, becoming easterly.

**THE PRIMARY.**—A democratic primary election was held in this city and county yesterday to nominate a candidate for the State constitutional convention. The election was one of the most quietly conducted ever held in this city, and the vote was not very large, only 1516 having been cast, as against 2339 in the municipal primary of 1899. Col. F. L. Smith and Mr. J. M. Johnson were the only candidates, and as no issue was involved many voters made their choice on personal grounds as between two friends, while others, feeling that the city's interests would be in safe keeping whatever candidate was chosen and not wishing to choose between two friends, remained away from the polls. While Col. Smith's friends are much elated over his success there is no exulting over Mr. Johnson's defeat, and many who voted for Col. Smith yesterday now say they would like to vote for Mr. Johnson for the Legislature, which will enact laws under the constitution which Col. Smith will help to frame. Col. Smith received 939 votes in the city and Mr. Johnson received 577 votes, making Col. Smith's majority in the city 362. In Alexandria county Col. Smith received 276 votes and Mr. Johnson 62 votes, making Col. Smith's majority in the county 214. Col. Smith's total majority in the city and county was 576. The vote by wards in the city was as follows:

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| First ward, . . .      | 194  | 114 |
| Second ward, . . .     | 154  | 86  |
| Third ward, . . .      | 199  | 129 |
| Fourth ward, . . .     | 187  | 133 |
| Wash. district, . . .  | 205  | 115 |
| Arlington dist., . . . | 86   | 18  |
| Jefferson dist., . . . | 122  | 10  |
| Totals, . . .          | 1215 | 639 |

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**PERSONAL.**—Mr. J. R. Cato has gone to New York on legal business.

**Ex-Lieut. R. W. Payne,** of the A. L. I., formerly of this city but now of Richmond, is in the city on a short visit.

**Rev. B. W. Turner,** of Washington, last night delivered an able and interesting Lenten sermon before a large congregation in Christ Episcopal Church. This is the last Lenten sermon that will be preached in Christ Church this year.

**Col. J. S. Mosby** was in this city today and was warmly greeted by his many friends. While in this office the Colonel took from his pocket the following reminder of his late war:

Headquarters of the 1st Virginia Cavalry, Alexandria, Va., August 10, 1865.

To J. S. Mosby:

Sir: I am directed by the general commanding to say that you will leave Alexandria, Va., at once and will not again come into this department without permission from department headquarters. The county of Fairfax is a portion of the department.

The bearer of this will escort you to the depot. Respectfully,

W. N. WINSHIP,  
Capt. and A. A. Gen.

**TRAIN CREWS SUSPENDED.**—Superintendent Colvin, of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Electric Railway, yesterday completed the company's investigation into the cause of the head-on collision between two trains on that road Monday last near the power house of that company. As a result of the inquiry, Motorman A. well and Conductor Branner, of the south-bound train, and Motorman Beattie of the north-bound train, have been relieved from duty. These men have heretofore been considered among the most competent in the company's service and are highly esteemed by the traveling public.

**ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.**—Wm. Markin, aged seventeen years, son of Mr. Charles Markin, yesterday evening accidentally shot his little brother, Ernest Markin, aged thirteen years, in the neck. The accident occurred at Mr. Markin's home, 210 north Patrick street, at 6:20 o'clock. The brothers were upstairs in a bedroom playing when William picked up a revolver, supposed to be empty, and, pointing it at his brother, pulled the trigger. The ball penetrated Ernest's neck just above the collarbone, inflicting a painful but not serious wound. Dr. O'Brien was summoned and extracted the ball. The little fellow is resting comfortably.

**POLICE COURT.**—The following cases were disposed of today:

**Anthony Parker,** colored, charged with disturbing a religious society at Mt. J. Zion Baptist Church, was fined \$5.

**Owen Donnelly,** charged with being drunk in the street, was dismissed.

**Night Report.**—Last night was clear and cool. Two prisoners and ten lodgers were at the station house.

**DEATH OF MRS. KERSEY.**—Mrs. Hannah P. Kersey, 61 years old, wife of Capt. Matthew Kersey, died at 7 o'clock last night at her residence, 316 south Fairfax street, after a protracted illness. Deceased was well known and her death was regretted by a large circle of relatives and friends. A husband and several grown children survive her.

The ladies of the First Baptist Church are making extensive preparations for an interesting entertainment at Saxe Hall for April 11. The programme will be diversified with tableaux, choruses, recitations, amateur plays, etc. Cream and cake will also be furnished.

**Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.**

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

**KILLED BY A TRAIN.**—Mr. L. W. Hoffman, a well-known merchant of Mitchell, Culpeper county, was struck and killed today by train No. 9, southbound passenger, on the Southern Railway. Mr. Hoffman was engaged in assisting to unload a car and, it is said, became confused by the two trains which pass at the time. In his confusion he stepped on the track and was struck by the south bound train.

**PALE SUNDAY.**—Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday, or the Feast of the Palms. On that day occurred the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem, when the people went out to meet him, spreading branches of palm over the road which he was to traverse, and crying out hosannas in his honor. The day is celebrated in the Catholic and Episcopal churches by special exercises. In St. Mary's Church large baskets of palm will be blessed by the officiating priest and distributed to the people before the mass. The rest of the service is not materially different from that of the other Sundays of Lent.

**WILL BRING RESULTS.**—What experienced business men regard as a good advertisement is one which tells in a clear, straightforward and common sense way about articles that people want. Such an advertisement if put in a newspaper which has a large and steady circulation throughout the community will always bring satisfactory results.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

**Salvation Oil** the best liniment. Regular bottle, 15 cts.; large bottle, 25 cts. Greatest cure on earth for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Swellings, Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Wounds, Swellings, Blisters and Frost Bites. Salvation Oil kills all pain. Sold by Richard Gibson, druggist.

Counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are liable to cause blood poisoning. Leave them alone. The original has the name of DeWitt upon the box and wrapper. It is a harmless and healing salve for skin diseases. Unequaled for piles.

**LOCAL BREVITIES.**

**Rev. Robert Robinson,** colored, has been appointed pastor of the colored Methodist Church at Woodlawn.

A quantity of condemned government stores and property was sold at public auction at St. Asaph today.

The slot machine at Mr. George Fuchs's store, on Royal street, was broken open last night and robbed.

A commission de lunatico inquiring today pronounced Stanley Etelin insane and he will be sent to a hospital for treatment.

Mr. William L. Spelden, of Washington, will tonight deliver a lecture at the Opera House on the "Passion Play" at Oberammergau.

Alphonz Arrington, while walking on King street, near Washington, this morning accidentally fell through a coal hole, but was not much hurt.

In the Corporation Court today in the case of M. B. Harlow, guardian, vs. Harvey Grant et al., a decree was entered confirming offer for property.

Mr. J. A. Clarke, of Washington, and Mr. R. W. P. Garrett, of this city, last night delivered interesting temperance addresses at the Free Methodist Church.

Several Alexandria Shriners will tonight go to Baltimore with Almas Temple of Washington to pay a fraternal visit to Bounti Temple of Baltimore.

The rebuilding of the Norfolk and Washington line steamer Washington at Baltimore has been completed, and the steamer will sail for home in the early part of April.

The Charlottesville Progress says: "Mr. Thomas Purvis, engineer on the Southern Railway, has rented out his residence on Preston Heights and moved his family to Alexandria."

Mr. Jacob Bull today received a fine lot of crabs from Norfolk and will tonight give a crab feast at his restaurant at the foot of King street.

Mr. B. H. Jenkins, southwest corner of Duke and Fairfax streets, has for sale some of the best spring vegetables on the market.

The pleasure launch J. S. Douglass is to be rebuilt by Mr. Greenwood at Jones's Point.

It is reported that a candidate will yet be found to oppose Mayor Elinson.

**An Honest Medicine for La Grippe**

George W. Waitt, of South Gardner, Mo., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account, but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

**GROCERIES.**

**SPRING VEGETABLES.**

I have for sale Charleston Early York Cabbage, Bermuda Onions, new Florida Tomatoes, new Florida Peaches, Blow Potatoes, Oranges, Spring Onions, Lettuce, &c., all fancy goods.

**B. H. JENKINS,**  
S. W. COR. FAIRFAX AND DUKE STS.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

It is said in London on good authority that J. Pierpont Morgan contemplates a consolidation of American and British electrical manufacturing interests.

Roland Reed, the actor, who was operated upon for cancer some weeks ago, is again critically ill at his home in New York. He is said to be falling gradually.

Because his locomotive was old and slow and he could not make good time, Edmund H. Goswami, a railroad engineer, committed suicide with carbolic acid this morning at his home in Philadelphia.

Gilbert B. Towles, convicted of forgery, has been sentenced in Washington to seven years imprisonment. An appeal to the Court of Appeals was noted and the defendant was released on \$15,000 bail.

A fire today at Harrisburg, Pa., burned Harel's Bank and five business houses at Bedford, Pa., including the hardware store of Blymer & Co.; Charles novelty store and Diffenbach's cigar store. Loss will reach \$100,000.

Near Mayville, Mich., yesterday Christian Lix, in a fit of insanity, killed Jacob Mooth by cutting his throat; then used the same razor to end his own life. Lix was 35 years old and leaves a widow and three children. Mooth was about 16 and worked for Lix on the farm.

The American Flour Manufacturing Co., of Vincennes, N. J., has just been incorporated with a capital of \$1,000,000 for the making of flour from sweet potatoes. The Vincennes mill, which started up a few days ago, is said to be the first in the country to manufacture flour from sweet potatoes.

The governor of Georgia has ordered troops to Savannah to protect five negro murderers who are under sentence and were to be hanged today, but were reprieved by the governor. An attempt will be made to lynch them. The troops who left on a special train are well provided with ball cartridge.

Theo. Wallert, who murdered his wife and four stepchildren at Arlington, Minn., August 20 last, was executed at Henderson, Minn., this morning. The priest who accompanied the condemned man to the gallows, was half through a prayer when the lever was accidentally jolted and Wallert dropped through the trap. The murderer was dead in 13 minutes.

Passenger train, No. 3, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, collided with two oil tank cars a mile west of Geneva, N. Y., at 5 o'clock this morning. Engineer Callahan and Fireman Smith were badly injured. They are now at a hospital in Buffalo. The train, a through one, from New York to Chicago, had just passed Fredonia. The oil cars had been lying on a side track and were being switched on the main track when the passenger train crashed into them. The engine and six cars were derailed. No one was seriously hurt.

An arch in the old Baltimore custom house, being torn down for the construction of a new building, fell with a loud crash this morning. Three men were buried under the debris. They are: Philip Chase, colored, crushed and likely to die; Williams Well, colored, head cut and back bruised; and Joseph Matthews, white, head cut, hip injured, and body badly bruised.

**Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup** for teething babies. Full-size bottle, 10 cents. Cures Wind Colic, Diarrhea, Loss of Sleep, Griping Pains, Sour Stomach, Fever, Cholera Infantum. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup also promotes digestion and soothes the baby. Sold by Richard Gibson, druggist.

**E. W. Grove**

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Fee that you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Balm when you ask for it. The genuine is a certain cure for piles, sores and skin diseases.

**CHINA, GLASSWARE, &c.**

**The E. J. MILLER CO.**

Importers and Jobbers in

**Earthenware, Glassware, China and all House-furnishing Goods,**

No. 317 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.

**WATER COOLERS** new stock, new designs

**UMBRELLA STANDS** in wrought iron, china and terra cotta.

**FIVE O'CLOCK TEA KETTLES** in solid brass and with wrought iron holders.

**COME IN AND SEE. LOOK AT PRICES AND GOODS.**

**AND YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.**

**CARTERS & EGGBORN**

SUCCESSORS TO CARTER & HOWARD.

Come in and see what we have on the Bazaar Table for SATURDAY.

One 56-piece Tea Set. Was \$4.50. Tomorrow \$3.50.

1 Miller Lamp, decorated. Was \$3.50. Tomorrow \$2.50.

1 Chop Dish, illuminated green. Was 75c. Tomorrow 50c.

## DRY GOODS.

## SWAN BROTHERS, SPRING GOODS.

424-426 KING STREET.

Our store is open for business at 7 a. m. and closes at 7 p. m., except Saturdays.

## Special Sale of New Silk Waists.

We have purchased four dozen beautiful Silk Waists from a well-known manufacturer who was anxious to close out the lot to us at a sacrifice.

They are beautifully made, very stylish and in the following pretty shades: Old rose, red, blue, lavender and black. Sizes 32 to 40.

Special price ea. \$2.98.

## Easter Dress Goods.

We are showing many desirable dress fabrics in our dress goods department, which are very suitable for Easter dresses. Among some of the new goods recently received we will mention:

BLACK SERGES, BLUE SERGES, COLORED SERGES, BLACK CHEVIOTS, GREY CAMELS' HAIR, BLUE AND BLACK MOHAIR, PINK CASHMERE, BLUE CASHMERE, RED CASHMERE, GARNET CASHMERE, TAN CASHMERE, GREY CASHMERE, CREAM CASHMERE, ALL-WOOL FRENCH FLANNELS, most every desirable shade. ALL WOOL TRICOT FLANNELS, most every desirable shade. ALL WOOL FLANNEL SUITINGS, in red, garnet, tan, blue, brown and grey.

## Linings.

We endeavor to keep our lining stock right up to date with a full line of all the latest and best linings at very reasonable prices. You can always find a good assortment here of—

MERCERIZED SATEENS, NEVA SILKS, PERCALINES, SILESIA, CAMBRICS, LIENOS, DRESS AND COLLAR CANVAS, FRENCH HAIR CLOTHS, SHRUNK TUXEDO, &c., &c.

## Ladies' and Gentlemen's Underwear

We are showing a good line of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Medium Weight Underwear. Just the right sort for early spring. In white and grey.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR THE STANDARD PATTERNS

## DRY GOODS.

**LANSBURGH & BRO.,**  
Washington's Favorite Store.

## SPECIALS

IN OUR

## Remnant Dept.

1,800 yards of double-width Spring Dress Goods. 15, 18, and 25c quill. 9c yd

500 yards of 12 1/2c dress 7 1/2c yd

600 yard of White Duck Rem. 5c yd

800 yards of 10c light and dark striped and checked Percale Rem. 6 1/4c yd

1,800 yards of light figured and striped (percale finish) calico. 4c yd

A lot of Selesia, Percale, new silk and satin lining remnants at half of original value.

700 yards of French Satine Remnants, in navy blue and heliotrope effects, 16c yd

Free Daily Deliveries to Alexandria.

**Lansburgh & Bro.,**  
420 to 426 Seventh street,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Hard-shell Crabs,**

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON.

OUR UNEXCELLED

Deviled Crabs,

MADE FROM MEAT OF OUR OWN PICKING.

**Rammel's**  
**Restaurant.**

HOME PHONE 68.

**BASE BALLS, BATS, BAGS,**

Now is the Time to organize your Club. April 1st should be "play ball." Have a COMPLETE NEW LINE. Should certainly be seen. Baseball SUITS in different COLORES and at Washington prices. Country orders collected.

**All Kinds Sporting Goods.**  
**R. E. KNIGHT,**  
621 KING STREET,  
STATIONER AND NEWSDEALER.

## DRY GOODS.

**Woodward & Lothrop**  
10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

EASTER CARDS AND LEAFLETS—First Floor.

**Easter Millinery Exhibit.**

DISPLAY OF LATEST SPRING MODELS. IMPORTED AND ORIGINAL CREATIONS.

For Promenade, Carriage, or Evening Wear. ALSO LATEST Spring Models in Untrimmed Hats.

Turbans and the fashionable novelty designs in mohair, silk, chiffon, and braid. Imported as 4 American "Stiff" Hats, ready to wear, for golf, street dress, etc.

Trimnings of every variety. Popular prices characterize the entire collection. Millinery Parlors—Second floor.

**Men's Store.**  
(First floor—entrance on F at)

NEW SPRING GOODS OF REPUTABLE MAKES.

French Balbriggan Undershirts, long and short sleeves, drawers to match. 50c a garment.

Fancy French Hosiery. 35c, 3 pairs for \$1.00. Usually 50c a pair.

Night Shirts, made of soft-finish shirting muslin. 50c each.

Men's Soft Neglige Shirts, made of woven color madras. 50c each.

Men's Batwing Ties, made from the usual 50c silks. 25c each.

Men's Suspenders, light web, leather ends. 25c a pair.

And in Umbrella Department, adjoining Men's Store, SPECIAL SALE OF WOMEN'S SILK UMBRELLAS. 26-inch size, with natural wood handles. Special price, \$1.50 each.

First floor.

Devotional and Religious Books FOR EASTER GIFTS.

A Serious Call to a Devout and Holy Life. By William Law, A. M. Flexile; leather binding. 75c.

Holy Living, and Holy Dying. By Jeremy Taylor. 85c.

Daily Light on the Daily Path, a devotional textbook for every day in the year. 50c.

Letters to Men and Letters to Women. By Archbishop Fenelon. 80c.

Li's Problems. By G. Campbell Morgan. D. D. 10c.

The Imitation of Christ. By Thomas a Kempis. 40c.

Basement.

GOODS DELIVERED IN ALEXANDRIA.

**Woodward & Lothrop,**  
10th, 11th & F Sts., N. W.,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

## GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best.

5 CASES

COOK'S FLAKED

RICE,

JUST RECEIVED BY

G. WM. RAMSAY.

25 boxes

SWEET NAVEL

ORANGES

CHEAP.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

YUCO.

Fresh Goods.

10 cts.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

Large cans

STRAWBERRY

RED BEETS

6c at

RAMSAY'S.

FANCY

SLICED PEACHES,

For immediate use.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

## DRY GOODS.

**D. Bendheim & Sons**  
1901.

Spring Opening Display and Sale on

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

We herald the formal opening of the Spring season. We invite and bid all a cordial welcome.

Your favorite store is in complete readiness. The extensive planning and preparations have been successfully consummated to meet your every expectation in order to make this first spring season and Eastertide of the new century the most conspicuous in our history and of a greatness in compliance with the distinguishing advancement and growth of our business. The choicest productions are profusely assembled here. Every department is in full trim with the best in its respective line, and your fullest requirements will be admirably met in the elaborate showing and unusually attractive selling.

**D. Bendheim & Sons,**  
316 KING STREET.